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TO AMEMBASSY CONAKRY

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TAGS: EMIN, GV, US

SUBJECT: GUINEAN OFFSHORE OIL EXPLORATION

REF: CONAKRY 2246

1. BUTTES REPRESENTATIVE FRANK WALSH CALLED COUNTRY OFFICER JAN. 6 FROM HOUSTON TO CONFIRM THAT DRILLING NOW EXPECTED START FEBRUARY 18.

2. WALSH VOICED DISGRUNTLEMENT OVER DIFFICULTIES IN SETTING UP PORTA-CAMP SUCH AS UNAVAILABILITY OF TRUCKS AND FORKLIFTS, WHICH HE ATTRIBUTED TO GOG INEPTITUDE. HE SPOKE OF DIFFICULTIES IN SUPPLYING HIS WORKERS AT UNREALISTIC SYLI/DOLLAR OFFICIAL EXCHANGE RATE AND WAS PARTICULARLY UPSET OVER FACT THAT WATER SUPPLY TO CAMP WAS CUT

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OFF BECAUSE OF REDIRECTION OF WATER RESOURCES FROM NEARBY

RESERVOIR.

3. WALSH (WHO NOW RECOVERING FROM ILLNESS) WILL VISIT
WASHINGTON WITHIN NEXT TWO WEEKS AND WILL TOUCH BASE WITH
AF/W PRIOR TO RETURN TO GUINEA. KISSINGER

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